



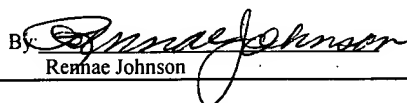
SERIAL NO. 09/976,876

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: RODRIGO Examiner: Rudy, A.
Serial No.: 09/976,876 Group Art Unit: 3627
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Title: INTELLIGENT NETWORK CHARGING EDGE

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on January 25, 2006.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 5, 2005, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicants submit the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. A Petition to Extend the period for responding to the Office Action by three months, from November 5, 2005 to February 5, 2006 is submitted herewith.

Claims 1, 2, and 4-48 remain pending in the application. Claims 49-61 have been added, Claims 1, 4, and 41 have been amended, and Claim 3 has been canceled. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 13 of this paper.

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